Losses incurring Central Public Sector Undertakings in Tamil Nadu

1353. SHRI R.T. GOPALAN : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to refer to answer to Unstarred Question 1497 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 21st August, 1990 and state :

(a) what is the percentage of investment in Tamil Nadu *vis-a-vis* the total investment made in the Central Public Sector Undertakings all over the country;

(b) whether any Central Public Sector Undertaking in Tamil Nadu is incurring losses; and

(c) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (SHRI KAMAL MORARKA) : (a) 5 1% of the total investment in terms of gross block was made in the Central Public Sector Enterprises in the State of Tamil Nadu as on 31-3-1989.

(b) and (c) Only one Central Public Sector Enterprises namely National Textile Corporation (Tamil Nadu & Pondicherry) Ltd., having registered office in the State incurred a loss of Rs 9 53 crores during 1988-89.

Tribal Development Blocks

1354. SHRI R.T. GOPALAN : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) what is the nubmer of Tribal Development Blocks in the country Statewise;

(b) what are the details of the ongoing Central Development Schemes in these blocks; and

(c) what progress has been made therein during the Seventh Five Year Plan ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WELFARE (SHRI RAMJILAL SUMAN) : (a) There are 640 fully covered and 318 partly covered Blocks in the Tribal sub-plan (TSP) areas in the country. State-wise break-up is given in Statement-I (*See below*).

(b) and (c) The details of some of the Centrally Sponsored and Central Sector Schemes currently in operation in the TSP areas and progress made thereunder during the Seventh Plan are given in Statement-II (*See below*).

Statement-I

Development blocks Fully/partly covered under TSP

Sl No	State/U T	No. of Blocks	
		Fully covered	Partly covered
1	2	3	4
1	Andhra Pradesh	27	32
2	Assam	2	53
3	Bihar	112	
4	Gujarat	64	
5	Himachal Pradesh	7	

1	2	3	4
6	Karnataka	23	..
7	Kerala	..	25
8	Madhya Pradesh	181	44
9	Maharashtra	50	22
10	Manipur	20	
11	Orissa	118	
12	Rajasthan	22	1
13	Tamil Nadu	4	16
14	Tripura	4	13
15	Uttar Pradesh	..	1
16	West Bengal	3	111*
17	A & N Islands	2	
18	Daman & Diu	1	
	TOTAL	640	318

*Provisional.

Statement-II

Details of some Important centrally sponsored/central sector schemes for scheduled tribes

Sl.No	Name of the Ministry/Department	Name of the Scheme	Physical/Financial progress during the VII Plan period
1	2	3	4
1.	*Ministry of Welfare*		
	(i) Department of Welfare	Special Central Assistance for Tribal sub Plan	An amount of Rs.847 00 crores was released to 19 States/UTs as Special Central Assistnce for Tribal Sub Plan.
		Hostels for Scheduled Tribe Girls	429 hostels with capacity of 18296 inmates were sanctioned and central share of grant-in-aid amounting to Rs. 823·34 lakhs was released to State Governments/UTs.
		Grant-in-aid to Voluntary Organisations	Rs. 480 48 lakhs were released to voluntary Organisations as grant-in-aid for variou

1	2	3	4
			programmes intended for direct benefit to Scheduled Tribes, such as; Balwadis, creches, schools, hostels, production-cum-Training Centres, medical facilities etc
		Post-Matric Scholarships for Scheduled Castes/Tribes	A sum of Rs 6119 37 lakhs was released as Central Assistance under the Scheme to the Scheduled Tribe students.
	(ii) Department of Women & Child Development	Integrated child Development Scheme	The Scheme is sanctioned on block basis and tribal blocks are given priority. Intribal areas, an 'Anganwadi' can be set up for 700 population a against 1000 population in other areas The coverage achieved by ICS in Tribal Blocks was 5 29 lakh women, 28 73 lakhs children and preschool education for 14 49 lakh children.
2.	*Ministry of Agriculture*		
	Department of Rural Development	Pilot Project for control of shift cultivation.	Operating in 9 States, the Schem aims a diverting the shifting cultivators to settled cultivation. The scheme is likely to continue till 1991-92 and proposes to cover 25000 families.
			The budget provision for 7th Plan was Rs. 45 crores
3.	Deptt. of Rural Development	Indira Awas Yojana	From 1985-86 till December 1983, 5,78,673 units were sanctioned at a cost of Rs. 589 36 crores and 4,27,425 units were constructed at a cost of Rs. 425·48 crores in this period for SCs & STs and freed bonded labourers.
4.	Ministry of Food and Civil Supplies (Deptt. of Food)	Scheme of supply of food-grains at subsidized rates in TSP Areas and in tribal majority States.	From December, 1985, when the scheme was started till August 1988, 55 77 lakh tonnes of foodgrains were released to States/UTs concerned for distribution at subsidized rates.
5.	Ministry of Environment & Forests	Raising Plantations of Minor Forest Produce including medicinal Plants.	The Scheme was sanctioned in February, 1988 and an amount of Rs. 5.00 crores was provided for the remaining period of the VII Plan.

1	2	3	4
6.	Deptt. of Rural Development .	Integrated Rural Development Programmes.	From 1985-86 to 1988-89, 18,62,977 families belonging to ST's were assisted under IRDP. Under TRYSEM, 3,07,996 youths belonging to SC/ST's were trained during the above period.
7.	Ministry of Health & Family Welfare	Health facilities in tribal Areas.	At the end of 1987-88, the average population covered in tribal areas and non-tribal areas was as under:—
		Type of institution	Population coverage per institution
		Primary Health Centres	53,000 (in non-tribal area) 37,000 (in tribal area)
		Sub-Centres	6,800 (-do-) 5,300 (-do-)
			In TSP Areas there were 469 Ayurvedic dispensaries, 41 Ayurvedic Hospitals and 97 Homoeopathic dispensaries functioning at the end of 1987-88
			Out of 26 districts fully covered by ITDPs and 100 partly covered by ITDPs, 16 fully covered districts and 61 partly covered districts have been brought under the Universal Immunisation Programme

Scheme to check the displacement of Scheduled Castes

1355. SHRI R T. GOPALAN : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state

(a) whether Government propose to formulate new schemes to check the displacement of Scheduled Castes and to rehabilitate them ;

(b) if so, the details thereof ;

(c) whether any high level committee has been constituted in this regard ;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) by when the said scheme is proposed to be implemented?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WELFARE (SHRI RAMJILAL SUMAN) : (a) to (e) There are no such proposals at present. However, a National Policy for Rehabilitation of Scheduled Tribes displaced by major projects is under active consideration of the Government of India.